

REMARKS

The preceding amendments to the Claims 1 and 4 are made in response to the advisory action mailed March 3, 2004. Claims 1 -3 are rejected, claims 4- 25 are objected to and claims 26 and 27 are allowed. These rejections and objections are deemed to be overcome by the present amendments.

The indication of allowance of claims 26-27 over the prior art is acknowledged with thanks.

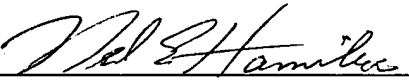
Claims 4-25 are now dependent from claim 1 which applicant has amended to place it in an allowable condition.

No fees are believed necessary to enter the above-identified amendment. If any fees are required, the USPTO is authorized to charge such fees to deposit account no. 50-0231.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, the application is deemed to be in condition for allowance. If it is not in condition for allowance, the examiner is respectfully requested to call applicants' attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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